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FINANCIAL NEWS AND COMMENT

Stock Prices Become Firm After Early Selling Due to Rail Strike Situation.

day's newspapers to the effect that the 160 railroad heads will fight the strikers to eniority issue gave the stock market a sharp turn and at the opening all the extraordinary strength of Monday's trading disappeared and in its place 110 came a hasty movement to sell stocks 201 The less impulsive traders waited, how61 41 53
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advanced from one to four points with scarcely an interruption.

No doubt the early selling was conducted for professional account and for those timid holders of stocks who took the published statements of some stocks. ducted for professional account and for those timid holders of stocks who took the published statements of some of the Eastern executives as representative of the heads of all the nation's carriers. That, however, is the point which will be watched most eagerly at to-day's conference, for there have been intimations that the heads of the roads in the West and South, which have been hardest hit by the strike, would overrule the Easterners in their firm stand.

One interesting feature in yesterday's stock market was the way in which several individual stocks, mostly specialites, some highly to new high levels. There were a number of gains of more than five and six points, and one stock. Clover Leaf, gained 9½ points on heavy trading on top of a rise of more than six points had before.

In all these individual instances there were no news developments in explanation of the moves and most of them bore all of the earmarks of group operation, Hints of developments in the Van Schweringen plans of railroad expansion were offered in explanation of the Clover Leaf move. Western Union was in heavy investment demand, gaining more than seven points to 118. Gains of from four to seven points were also made by United Fruit, Otis Elevator.

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There was real heaviness in the market for the Government war loans, practically all issues selling down sharply. The heaviest loss was sustained by the 3½s of the first loan, which declined about 36 cents, while a drop of about 22 cents was recorded by the fourth 4½s at their low points. Liberty bonds have had a tremendous advance over the period of the last year and any reaction at this time could easily be accounted for profit taking. Nevertheless, there was some selling by increasts who fear the newly agitated bonus question. In the rail and industrial bond list there was much less activity than on Monday, but a large proportion of these bonds held firmly around the previous day's closing levels. Profit taking in cotton brought about substantial declines, but there was unusually active and strong after early weakness, getting as high as 103% for that of May.

Call money ruled all day at 3½ percent. The demand for call funds abated considerably from the level of Monday, due largely to the sudden restriction of commission business on the Stock Exchange.

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 Demand 80% 80.75 81.12%
Cables 81% 81.00 81.23

26.50 Chile, cents a pesa:
 Demand 14.50 13.95 13.95
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Advance in Clover Leaf.

The further marked gains in both issues of Toledo, St. Louis and Western stock are based on rumors that directors are considering a 5 per cent. divident rate on/the common and 4 per cent, on the preferred. Other railroad stocks were active and in some cases stronger during the session, advances being recorded for Union Pacific, St. Paul preferred, Rock Island preferred and Great Northern preferred. New York Central was fractionally lower, as was Southern Pacific.

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